IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 1480

Masami MIURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005 0447A

Serial No. 10/529,645 : Group Art Unit 2123

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COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN SYSTEM AND: COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN PROGRAM

USING A GEOMETRIC SURFACE MODEL :

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows: